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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Eberling, et al.) Art Unit: 3683		
Serial No.: 10/637,150	Confirmation No.: 3424		
Filed: August 8, 2003) Examiner: Unknown		
For: AIR SYSTEM MODULE INCLUDING RESERVOIR AND MOUNTING STRUCTURE) Attorney Docket No. 28679/045	Attorney Docket No. 28679/04558	

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT

Sir:

On October 27, 2004, the USPTO issued a Notice of Abandonment for the above-referenced application (The Notice).

The Notice states that the application is abandoned for failure to reply to The Notice to File Missing Parts mailed November 7, 2003. However, applicants submitted a timely submission of Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts on January 7, 2004. A copy of the January 7, 2004 Response to Notice to File Missing Parts submission, as well as the return receipt postcard for the January 7th Response to Notice to File Missing Parts submission, is attached hereto as evidence of the timely submission.

Applicant believes that this evidence is sufficient to establish a timely response and thus requests withdrawal of the Notice of Abandonment mailed on October 27, 2004.

It is believed that no fee is due for entering this petition, however, should the Commissioner determine that a fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees to deposit account no. 03-0172.

Date: Merender 9,2004

Respectfully submitted,

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CONFIRMATION NO. 3424
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NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.53 (f) OR (g)

The above-identified application is abandoned for failure to timely or properly reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed on 11/07/2003.

No reply was received.

A petition to the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.137 may be filed requesting that the application be revived.

Under 37 CFR 1.137(a), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of UNAVOIDABLE DELAY must be filed promptly after the applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) an adequate showing of the cause of unavoidable delay; (2) the required reply to the above-identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(I); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Under 37 CFR 1.137(b), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of UNINTENTIONAL DELAY must be filed promptly after applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) a statement that the entire delay was unintentional; (2) the required reply to the above-identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Any questions concerning petitions to revive should be directed to the "Office of Petitions" at (703) 305-9282 Petitions should be mailed to: Mail Stop Petitions, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

Notice of Abandonment

This application is abandoned in view of applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office notice mailed on $\frac{11/0.4}{6.3}$

Petition to Withdraw the Holding of Abandonment

If a complete reply to the notice was previously filed by applicant within the time period set forth in the notice, applicant may request for reconsideration of the holding of abandonment within 2 months from the mailing of this notice of abandonment by filing a petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment under 37 CFR 1.181(a). No petition fee is required. The petition must be accompanied by a true copy of the originally filed reply and the item(s) identified in one of the following:

1. A properly itemized date-stamped postcard receipt (see MPEP § 503);

- 2. If the originally filed reply included a certificate of mailing or transmission in compliance with 37 CFR 1.8(a), a copy of the certificate of mailing or transmission and a statement in compliance with 37 CFR 1.8(b) (see MPEP § 512); or
- 3. If the reply was filed via Express Mail, a submission satisfying the requirements of 37 CFR 1.10(e) including, for example, a copy of the Express Mail mailing label showing the "date-in" (see MPEP § 513).

Any petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment should be transmitted by facsimile directly to OIPE Customer Service at (703) 308-7751.

Petition to Revive an Abandoned Application

If applicant did <u>not</u> previously file a complete reply within the time period set forth in the notice, applicant may file a petition to revive the application under 37 CFR 1.137.

Under 37 CFR 1.137(a), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of UNAVOIDABLE DELAY must be filed promptly after the applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by:

- 1. an adequate showing of the cause of unavoidable delay;
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See MPEP § 711.03(c) and Form PTO/SB/61.

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See MPEP § 711.03(c) and Form PTO/SB/64.

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Inventor:

Eberling, et al.

Title:

AIR SYSTEM MODULE INCLUDING RESERVOIR

AND MOUNTING STRUCTURE

Serial No.:

10/637,150 August 8, 2003

Filed:

Response to Missing Parts

Filing of: Docket No .:

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Washington, D.C. 20231	
RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO	FILE MISSING PARTS
In response to the Notice to File Missing Pa	arts dated November 7, 2003 applicants
respectfully submit a copy of Response to Notice to	o File Missing Parts, a fully executed
Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed	l is a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts
received from the Patent Office.	
Please charge the \$130 surcharge and an	y additional fees to Deposit Account No. 03-
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Respe	ectfully submitted,
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FORMALITIES LETTER OC000000011203233*

Date Mailed: 11/07/2003

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment;

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity

\$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

Replies should be mailed to:

Mail Stop Missing Parts

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